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ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FOR RELOCATION OF COMMAND POST

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KIRTLAND AIR FORCE BASE, N.M. –The Air Force has prepared an environmental assessment evaluating potential impacts on the environment associated with the relocation of the Command Post at Kirtland Air Force Base. This action is proposed by the 377th Air Base Wing, which is a part of Air Force Materiel Command.

The 377th Air Base Wing proposes to relocate the Kirtland Air Force Base Command Post from Building 20200 to Building 20604. Building 20604 houses the 377th Air Base Wing Headquarters. Both buildings are located on Kirtland Air Force Base. The proposed action will include the renovation of a portion of Building 20604.

The Air Force proposes a finding of no significant impact on the human environment from the proposed project. They have also determined there are no major environmental impacts associated with this proposed action, nor is the proposed action a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the environment.

A copy of the environmental assessment is available at the Albuquerque Technical Vocational Institute main campus reference library. The public comment period ends June 13, 1997. Individuals wishing further information, or to contribute comments, should contact John McGlothlen, National Environmental Policy Act program manager, (505) 846-4377.

